

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
Udo KRUPKA)	Group Art Unit: 1648
Application No.: 10/561,345)	Examiner: Zachariah Lucas
Filed: December 20, 2005)	
For: NOVEL SURFACE PROTEIN)	Confirmation No.: 5930
(HBsAg) VARIANT OF THE)	
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Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant petitions for a one month extension of time to file a reply to the Office
Action of June 8, 2008. A fee of \$130.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: October 8, 2009

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